Oregon Water Resources Department

Water Right Services Division

Water Rights Application Number G-8459

Final Order Extension of Time for Permit Number G-7623 Permit Holder: City of Stanfield

Permit Information

Application File G-8459/ Permit G-7623

Basin 7 – Umatilla Basin / Watermaster District 5 Date of Priority: September 22, 1977

Authorized Use of Water

Source of Water:

One Well plus an Additional Well from T-7440, both

within the Umatilla River Basin

Purpose or Use:

Municipal

Maximum Rate:

2.2 Cubic Feet per Second (CFS)

Appeal Rights

This is a final order in other than a contested case. This order is subject to judicial review under ORS 183.484. A request for judicial review must be filed within the 60 day time period specified by ORS 183.484(2). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-004-0080 you may either file for judicial review, or petition the Director for reconsideration of this order. A petition for reconsideration may be granted or denied by the Director, and if no action is taken within 60 days following the date the petition was filed, the petition shall be deemed denied.

Application History

Permit G-7623 was issued by the Department on December 2, 1977 and modified by Permit Amendment T-7440 on March 5, 1996. The permit called for completion of construction by October 1, 1979, and complete application of water to beneficial use by October 1, 1980. On July 3, 2012, the City of Stanfield submitted an application to the Department for an extension of time for Permit G-7623. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on January 8, 2013, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to complete construction to October 1, 2049 and to extend the time to fully apply water to beneficial use to October 1,

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2049. The protest period February 22, 2013, in accordance with OAR 690-315-0060(1). No protest was filed.

Except as expressly stated herein, The Department adopts and incorporates by reference the Proposed Final Order dated .

At time of issuance of the Proposed Final Order the Department concluded that, based on the factors demonstrated by the applicant, the permit may be extended subject to the following conditions:

CONDITIONS

1. <u>Municipal Use Extension Condition</u>

The use of any water beyond 1.11 cfs under Permit G-7623 is subject to this Municipal Use Extension Condition.

The water user shall develop a plan to monitor and report the impact of water use under Permit G-7623 on water levels within the aquifer that provides water to the permitted wells. The plan shall be submitted to the Department within one year of the date the Extension Order is issued and shall be subject to the approval of the Department. At a minimum, the plan shall include a program to periodically measure static water levels within the permitted wells or and adequate substitute such as water levels in nearby wells.

2. <u>Development Limitations</u>

Diversion of any water beyond 1.11 cfs under Permit G-7623 shall only be authorized upon issuance of a final order approving a Water Management and Conservation Plan(s) (WMCP) under OAR Chapter 690, Division 86 which grants access to water under this extended permit. The required WMCP shall be submitted to the Department within 3 years of this Final Order. Use of water under Permit G-7623 must be consistent with this and subsequent WMCP's approved under OAR Chapter 690, Division 86 on file with the Department.

The deadline established in the Extension Final Order for submittal of a WMCP shall not relieve a permit holder of any existing or future requirement for submittal of a WMCP at an earlier date as established through other orders of the Department. A WMCP submitted to meet the requirements of this order may also meet the WMCP submittal requirements of other Department orders

Summary

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The applicant has demonstrated good cause for the permit extension pursuant to ORS 537.630, 539.010(5) and OAR 690-315-0080(3).

<u>Order</u>

The extension of time for Application G-8459, Permit G-7623, therefore, is approved subject to conditions contained herein. The deadline for completing construction is extended from October 1, 1999 to October 1, 2049. The deadline for applying water to full beneficial use within the terms and conditions of the permit is extended from October 1, 1999 to October 1, 2049.

DATED: March 5, 2013

Dwight French, Water Right Services Division Administrator for

PHILLIP'C. WARD, DIRECTOR

If you have any questions about statements contained in this document, please contact Joan Smith at (503-986-0898)

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